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TAGS: EWWT, YO

SUBJECT: MARAD WAIVER DENIALS

REF: STATE 53839

1. YUGOSLAV EMBASSY COUNSELOR ACKOVSKI CALLED DEPARTMENT OFFICER MARCH 23 TO SEEK CLARIFICATION ON STATUS OF MARAD WAIVERS FOR YUGOSLAVIA. HE REPORTED THAT JUGOLINIJA HAD RECENTLY REQUESTED A WAIVER TO TRANSPORT EXIMBANK-FINANCED EQUIPMENT (FOR THE NIKSIC STEEL PLANT) AND THAT THE MARITIME ADMINISTRATION HAD RESPONDED BY NOTING THEY WERE STILL WAITING FOR THE YUGOSLAV GOVERNMENT'S WRITTEN REPORT. ACKOVSKI EXPRESSED SURPRISE AT THIS RESPONSE INASMUCH AS HE HAD BEEN TOLD BY HIS AUTHORITIES THAT THE YUGOSLAV REPORT HAD BEEN PROVIDED TO THE US EMBASSY ON FEBRUARY 2.

2. DEPARTMENT WOULD APPRECIATE AN URGENT RESPONSE  
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REGARDING THE YUGOSLAV REPORT.

3. FYI. THE MARITIME ADMINISTRATION HAD GRANTED A "STATUTORY WAIVER" TO JUGOLINIJA EARLIER THIS YEAR TO PERMIT CARRIAGE OF THE PANCEVO-BOUND CARGO (WHICH HAD BEEN HELD UP BY THE IMPASSE OVER ALLEGATIONS OF YUGOSLAV DISCRIMINATION) WHEN NO AMERICAN SHIPS WERE AVAILABLE OR

WILLING TO PICK IT UP. THIS MAY HAVE TEMPORARILY DEFUSED  
THE ISSUE, BUT IT HAS BECOME ACTIVE AGAIN WITH THE NEW  
REQUEST.  
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